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- 1. EMBASSY CORRECT THAT JANUARY PAYMENT ON F-5E CONTRACT WAS DELAYED BY LATE PASSAGE OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS. APRIL PAYMENT WAS RELEASED TO AIR FORCE ON APR 2 AND MADE TO CONTRACTOR ON APR 4.
- 2. REGRET ROC HAS NO INDEMNIFICATION OPTION. LANGUAGE FROM MOU FOR F-5 PROJECT CITED PARA 4 REFTEL EXCLUDES USG FROM ANY LIABILITY FOR LATE PAYMENT. FUNDING FOR REMAINING GRANT PORTION NOW APPEARS AVAILABLE. HOWEVER, IT IS SUBJECT TO DIVERSION IF OVERRIDING NEED FOR ADDITIONAL GRANT FUNDING DEVELOPS ELSEWHERE. ONLY APPARENT WAY ROC COULD MINIMIZE ADVERSE EFFECTS OF ANY POSSIBLE DELAY IN THE CONFIDENTIAL

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AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS WOULD BE BY MAKING PAYMENT WHEN DUE

FROM OWN RESOURCES UNTIL FUNDS DO BECOME AVAILABLE. FYI
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